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Freedom of religious requires that we leave faith-based choices up to the individual. Women who work for Catholic employers should not be denied freedom of religion as a result of the place of their employment. To deny women this choice and to grant it instead to their employers makes a mockery of freedom of religion! Contraceptive coverage provided to most workers cannot be denied to employees of faith-related employers. Please remove the proposed religious employer refusal provision from your Women's Preventive Services rule.

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